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Q What else did you hear her say? A I heard her say, "Don't tell me anything over the 'phone."

Q Did you hear Mrs. Hall telephoning on Friday night?

A Yes, sir; I did.

Q Did you hear her say, "It must be Mrs. Mills. She is the only one he is familiar with"? Did you hear her say that?

A Something similar to that.

Q Over the telephone. When was that? A That was on Friday night.

Q About what time? A I think it was between nine and ten o'clock. I am not sure.

Q As you remember it, all that you heard her say over the 'phone was, "It must be Mrs. Mills. She is the only one he is familiar with"? Is that right? A Something similar to that. I won't say those exact words.

Q You don't know whom she was talking to? A Yes, I think it was Mr. Florance she was speaking to.

Q Mr. Florance, a lawyer? A Yes.

Q Do you remember seeing Mrs. Carpenter in the kitchen on Saturday? A Yes, sir.

Q Is that the wife of Mr. Henry Carpenter? A No, sir.

Q Who is she? A Wife of Mr. Edwin Carpenter.

Q What did she say about the bodies being found?

A She came in and told us that Mr. Hall was dead, or had been found dead, or something similar to that.



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Q And who was it said, "Oh no no, something about murder?"

A Oh then Maria Gildea said, "Was he murdered?" and she said, "Oh, no, we don't know everything yet, we haven't found out everything yet;" or something like that.

Q You didn't hear Mrs. Hall at two o'clock in the morning, Friday, in the house, did you?

A No, I did not.

Q Did you after you went to bed, hear the noise of automobiles outside - was the garage near you?

A Not very near, about one hundred feet away.

Q You don't remember hearing any automobile leave about one o'clock in the morning, do you?

A No.

Q Or about ten o'clock at night? A No.

Q Now were you there in Mrs. Hall's presence when Mr. Carpenter came in, Mr. Edwin Carpenter?

A I wasn't in her presence but I was in hearing of it.

Q But you heard it? A Yes, sir.

Q Where was she sitting when he came in?

A I think she was sitting in the parlor.

Q What time of the day was it?

A Before or after one, I am not sure.

Q Can't you remember whether it was before or after? Of course it is four years ago. I don't ask you to remember anything that is too difficult. You aren't sure. It was